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SUBJECT: TRIAL OF ATTENDEES AT BANNED FRELIMO RALLY

REF: (A) STATE 051709, (B) DURBAN 0089

1. ATTORNEY FOR THIRTEEN OF FOURTEEN PERSONS WHO APPEARED BEFORE DURBAN MAGISTRATE MARCH 3 (DURBAN 89) WILL BE S.N. CHETTY OF DURBAN. TRIAL ADVOCATE WILL LIKELY BE C. NICHOLSON. FOURTEENTH PERSON, 17 YEAR OLD GIRL, REPRESENTED BY J.N. SINGH. REPRESENTATION FOR FOUR WHO SKIPPED BAIL UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME.

2. CHIETTY WILL ALSO CONTINUE AS PRINCIPAL DEFENSE ATTORNEY FOR SASO/BPC TRIAL, ASSISTED BY I.M. AYOB OF JOHANNESBURG. CONGEN INFORMED CHETTY WILL REQUEST POSTPONEMENT TO COMPLETE DEFENSE PREPARATIONS. ACCORDING NICHOLSON ADVOCATES WILL LIKELY BE D. SOGGOT AND E. WENTZEL, BOTH OF JOHANNESBURG. DEFENDANTS HAD ORIGINALLY INSISTED ON ENTIRELY BLACK (AFRICAN, INDIAN, OR COLORED) DEFENSE TEAM BUT RELENTED

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AND ACCEPTED SOGGOT AND WENTZEL WHEN TOLD SUFFICIENTLY

EXPERIENCED BLACK COUNSEL COULD NOT BE FOUND. TO DATE,  
CHETTY ASSUMING MOST OF EXPENSES INVOLVED IN PREPARING  
CASE. QUESTION OF HOW EXPENSIVE SENIOR COUNSEL WILL  
BE PAID STILL UNCERTAIN.  
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